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## Press Release

From: Undersheriff Robert E. Levy

Date Occurred: 04/27/2011 approximately 0000 hrs – 0400 hrs.

Incident: Residential burglary and multiple vehicle burglaries

Location: Mesa Vista area of Alpine County

The Mesa Vista area of Alpine County has had a string of burglaries and thefts on Wednesday. One of the burglaries was a no force entry into a home while the occupants were asleep upstairs. At this residence, chainsaws, firearms, a computer and cash were stolen. From the vehicles entered at other residences, purses containing cash, jewelry and personal identification were stolen as well as a set of golf clubs.

Currently, the Sheriff's Office is asking the community to report any suspicious activity they may have seen during the early morning hours on Wednesday the 27<sup>th</sup>. To date, one home and three vehicles had items stolen.

The Sheriff's Office wants to remind everyone to remember to keep their homes locked, even when at home to ensure the safety of their family. Also, remember to keep your vehicle locked when unattended or parked outside, and to keep all valuables out of sight. All of the thefts that have occurred were crimes of opportunity where the home or the vehicle was unlocked.

Lastly, please report any suspicious persons or vehicles loitering in neighborhoods. The Sheriff's Office is more than happy to respond and make sure our neighborhoods remain safe and secure.

*The law requires that arrest information be made available to the public. This publication may contain suspect information about individuals that have been recently booked by the Alpine County Sheriff's Office. Names of juveniles (under 18-years-old) are not public. Suspect information and ongoing investigation details are also withheld. Since most cases have yet to be adjudicated, all charges should be considered allegations. For questions/concerns regarding any information contained in this publication, contact Undersheriff Robert E. Levy at (530) 694-2231.*